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TO [REDACTED] INFO [REDACTED]

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1. HQS SOMEWHAT SURPRISED BY REF SINCE [REDACTED] THOUGHT HE RECALLED HAVING ADVISED [REDACTED] OF BACKGROUND FOR INSTANT AIRMAN REQUEST AT TIME [REDACTED] DEPARTURE FOR [REDACTED]. THIS MATTER DEALS WITH U. N. RESOLUTION PASSED 20 DECEMBER 1961 HAVING TO DO WITH REQUIREMENT ON ALL MEMBER NATIONS TO REGISTER ALL SATELLITE LAUNCHINGS INTO ORBIT OR BEYOND. THIS UNFORTUNATE EXERCISE IN NON-COORDINATION WITH U. S. COMMUNITY, THIS RESOLUTION WAS BROUGHT TO THE FLOOR UNDER U. S. DELEGATION AUSPICES AND UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED BY U. N. COMMITTEE ON PEACEFUL USES OF OUTER SPACE. ON 28 DECEMBER STATE AND DOD DISCOVERED TACTICAL ERROR AND SINCE THAT TIME [REDACTED] STATE AND DOD HAVE BEEN WORKING TO DEVISE SYSTEM TO COMPLY WITH SPIRIT OF RESOLUTION IF NOT LETTER OF SAME IN ORDER PROTECT U. S. CLANDESTINE RECCE CAPABILITIES.

2. ON 6 JANUARY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE FOR INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS WAS BROUGHT INTO THE AND CORONA OPS PICTURE AT STATE DEPT REQUEST. THIS WAS TO HAVE BEEN PRELUDE TO SAME BRIEFING FOR AMB STEVENSON. HQS SUGGESTED TO [REDACTED] AT TIME HIS VISIT THAT IT MIGHT BE PROFITABLE MENTION THIS WHOLE PROBLEM TO [REDACTED]

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WITH VIEW TO GENERATING [REDACTED] REQUEST FOR SIMILAR BRIEFING [REDACTED] UP THRU [REDACTED] 25X1
TIME OF B-W DEPARTURE [REDACTED] THERE HAD BEEN NO EXCHANGE WITH [REDACTED] ON THIS SUBJECT 25X1
WHATEVER. REASON FOR SUGGESTED INCLUSION [REDACTED] WAS TO PERMIT UNIFIED U. S./ 25X1
[REDACTED] APPROACH TO SATELLITE REGISTRATION QUESTION SHOULD IT DEVELOP INTO OPEN DEBATE. 25X1

HOWEVER, SINCE HAVE BEEN AT PRESENT UNABLE BRIEF AND STEVENSON, CONCUR WITH STATIONS
VIEWS PARA TWO THAT REQUIREMENT FOR FAST ACTION NOT IMMEDIATELY NECESSARY.

3. MESSAGE IN FROM [REDACTED] THIS DATE MENTIONS BRIEFING [REDACTED] IN ACCORDANCE 25X1
WITH ORAL DISCUSSIONS [REDACTED] WILL ARRANGE BRIEFING 25X1
WHICH ESSENTIALLY CORRECT, BUT TIMING WILL AWAIT ON PRIOR BRIEFING AND STEVENSON.
FURTHER STATION COMMENTS INVITED AS APPROPRIATE.

1	REBER: ACTION
2	BISSELL END OF MESSAGE
3	[REDACTED]
4	TIDWELL
5	LUNDAHL
6	[REDACTED]
7	[REDACTED]
8	[REDACTED]

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